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DIVORCE PROBE CLOSED WITH ARGUMENTS

Expected That Bar Committee Will Make Report Next Week

ARGUE THREE HOURS

Frank Stuart Opens and John S. Barbour Closes On Behalf of Judge Moncure.

Final arguments were made today in the corporation courtroom before the special committee of seven of the Alexandria Bar Association, which has completed its probe of the divorce situation in Alexandria. The opening argument was made by Attorney Frank Stuart, who charges Judge Moncure with the lax enforcement of the divorce laws according to his own statement made this morning before the committee.

The closing was made by Attorney John S. Barbour, representing Judge Moncure. Each side was given an hour and a half for their argument. There was a comparatively small crowd in attendance. Less than 50 persons were in court when the arguments were begun, among them being a number of women. Mr. Stuart, in his opening, declared that he was in an unusual attitude. Prior to the Bar Asosciation of the city deciding to investigate the divorce situation, he declared he had intended to file four charges against Judge Moncure with the State Legislature, one of which was the lax enforcement of the divorce laws. He declared, however, that he was not the originator of the charges to be presented to the Legislature.

This case, Mr. Stuart said, is a unique one. Referring to the Bar Association, he asserted that the first day they met he felt he was being antagonized because he said he had brought to the court's attention a condition which he declared existed. At that meeting, he said, he was practically single-handed, and he claimed that subsequent developments have proved beyond the shadow of a doubt that conditions he claimed do exist. Mr. Stuart asserted that it was not his purpose to reflect on any member of the committee so far. Any statements he may have made were entirely due, he said, to the antagonistic stand against him. Mr. Stuart told the committee that many extraneous matters and personalities have been brought into the investigation.

Mr. Stuart, in conclusion, asked the committee to demand the resignation of Judge Moncure, and in the event of his refusal, that they ask the Legislature to act, saying that in all seriousness they make such a request as the facts justify. John S. Barbour started his argument shortly before noon.

Mr. Barbour, after admitting that, as stated by Mr. Stuart, the situation here is unique and most deplorable, due to the publicity which has been given it, unfairly, as he said, went into a discussion of the distinction between domicile and residence, and emphasized the fact that the judge sitting in divorce cases, or other civil cases, must necessarily be bound by the record rather than any private knowledge he may have or may be supposed to have.

The matter of domicile, as required by the Virginia statute, said Mr. Barbour, is entirely a matter of intent. The law requires that a person filing suit for divorce must have a domicile in the State of Virginia for twelve months next preceding the institution of the suit, and must, in addition, be rodsiding within the jurisdiction of the particular court in which suit is filed at the time of filing the suit. In order to acquire domicile under the law, Mr. Barbour says, it is not necessary that a person shall continuously reside in Alexandria. It is only necessary that a person shall form a determination to call a particular place his home, in order to establish a domicile, and so far as residence is concerned, that may be only momentary, and still comply with the law.

Should a person desire to secure a divorce, he said, having good and sufficient grounds, there is no reason, either in law or in morals, wh sucyh a person can not come from Washington, or from any other place, to Alexandria, with his or her mind made up to acquire a domicile in Alexandria, establish such a domicile by engaging a room, or some such technical evidence of the purpose to establish a domicile, then leave Alexandria and reside wherever he may desire. The domicile, he says, having been once established, continues until the intent of the person to change such residence has been formed.

In support of his contention, Mr. Barbour cited several decisions of the supreme court of appeals. Particularly that in the case of Towson vs. Towson, in which the party filing suit was born in Stafford County, Virginia, had lived for many years in Washington, and came to Alexandria and established a residence for the purpose of filing suit for divorce The court of appeals held that Towson

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WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

Washington, March 18.—An interesting experiment in co-operative entertaining is being tried out by the Congressional Club, an organizaton which is playing an increasingly important part in official life in Washington. The plan is to have luncheon served at the club house by a caterer on certain days, individual members of the club being privileged to entertain guests. It is expected that in this way many persons will enjoy the privileges of the club who could not otherwise be entertained there on account of the limitations which lack of space imposes upon the receptions and other parties given by the club.

The Japanese government, according to cable information received here today by the Japanese Embassy, has undertaken to remove its troops from the Tsingtau-Tsinanfu Railway in the Province of Shantung in advance of the period specified in the treaty made here between Japan and China during the Conference on the Limitation of Armaments for the restoration of Shantung to China.

The treaty provides that the Japanese railway guards shall be withdrawn within three months from the signing of the treaty or within six months at the latest

Without waiting for the exchange of ratifications, the Japanese government has instructed its Minister at Peking to arrange with the Peking government for the replacement of Japanese military guards with Chinese soldiers.

The country is prepared to face a

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COAL MINERS' STRIKE SEEMS TO BE ASSURED

Secretary of Navy Selects This Superdreadnaught For Reduced Navy

NOW BEING BUILT

Davis Blames Inability of Government to Prevent Strike on Refusal of Operators to Enter Conference.

Washington, March 18.—Secretary of Labor Davis and other Federal officials have despaired of bringing about a joint conference of coal operators of the central competitive field and the miners to avert the threatened strike on April 1.

Yesterday the secretary of labor made public a summary of the situation as it exists following the negotiations he had conducted with the operators to assure a joint conference. The secretary of labor made no comment on the summary, which shows a great majority of the operators have refused to participate in the proposed conference. This refusal has led to the conviction of the part of Federal officials that the strike probably can not be averted.

In the statement issued from the Department of Labor the obligation for the proposed conference is quoted from the minutes of the conference of operators and miners in New York in 1920, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That no interstate joint conference be held prior to April 1, 1922; the time and place of holding such meeting is referred to a committee of two operators and two miners from each State herein represented, together with the international officers of the United Mine Workers' organization."

The record shows that John L. Levi, president of the United Mine Workers, invited the operators under the provision of the foregoing resolution to meet in Pittsburg January 6, 1922, but withdrew the call later because of unsatisfactory replies which indicated that a full attendance could not be secured. A second call was issued by Mr. Lewis for March 2, 1922, but with the same unsatisfactory results.

Following these failures, the statement shows that the secretary of labor, at the request of the President, February 24, 1922, took up the question of securing the desired conference, with the following results:

Western Pennsylvania—The Pittsburg Coal Producers' Association positively declined to join in the renewal of the central competitive States' agreement; therefore attendance at agreed conference deemed useless so far as they are concerned; but will meet with their own miners to negotiate an agreement without the checkoff. The Pittsburg operators have posted a wage scale effective April 1 which calls for a reduction of 35 to 40 per cent.

Pittsburg and West Virginia Railway Coal Operators' Association and Pan Handle Coal Operators' Association request the right of representation in any central competitive State conference, although they had not been included in the previous conference of said States.

TWENTY ARE INDICTED BY GRAND JURY

Eighteen For Infractions of Prohibition Law

ONE IS FOR MURDER

Not True Bills Returned in Six Cases —Jury To Meet Again March 27, to Investigate Divorce Situation.

A grand jury in the corporation court early last night returned true bills in twenty out of twenty-six cases presented. The jury did not complete its labors until 6:30 o'clock. J. M. Duncan was foreman of the jury. Eighteen cases were for alleged infractions of the prohibition law, one for murder and one for grand larceny. Not true bills were returned by the jury in six of the cases presented five of which were for alleged infractions of the prohibition law.

The indictment for murder was returned against Ernest Lloyd, alias "Mutt" Grooms, colored, charged with fatally shooting Herbert McGray, colored, which occurred December 29, 1921, at the southwest corner of Cameron and Fayette streets. A date for the trial of Lloyd will be fixed Monday.

In the case of Edward S. Morgan whose automobile struck and fatally injured Miss Elsie Baggott the afternoon of February 22 the jury returned not a true bill, thereby closing the case.

Indictments were returned against the following persons for alleged infractions of the state prohibition law: Emmet Johnson, Elmer Ardesser, John P. Casson, J. H. Parsons, Clifton C. Beahm, Tinie Criger, Oscar Bedsaul, Mrs. Taylor Finch, Ernest Idensen, George Dunn, Richard Hayden, Matilda Howard, Henry Richardson, Mrs. Josephine Videll, Paul Ponnet, Frank Baltimore, John W. Jackson, Andrew Grady, Jr. A true bill also was returned against John Walker charged with grand larceny.

Not true bills were returned by the jury in the cases of the following. Samuel Mendelson, Richard Swain, Joseph Burke, Mercier Langley and Abraham Fortune who were charged with alleged infractions of the state prohibition law. In the case of Mendelson the alleged infraction consisted of having copper gasoline tanks on sale at his place of business. One or two of those indicted have already serve 30 days in jail and part the minimum fine and costs.

All of those whose cases were not set for trial yesterday afternoon will be set on Monday morning when court meets it was announced.

The grand jury was adjourned over until March 27th, when they will take up an investigation of the divorce stuation here.

In addition to the indictments the grand jury also reported the following: We, the grand jury, find that the property at the southwest corner of Cameron and Royal Streets, otherwise known as the old City Hotel and leased to Mr. Charles W. Rauch from the Irvin estate is being used in part in violation of the prohibiton statues and recommend that the commonwealth's attorney be instructed to take the necessary steps to require the lessee or lessor to furnish the required bond to prevent further violations of the said statues."

Signed "J. W. Duncan, Foreman."

ODD FELLOWS TO MEET

Accotink Lodge Planning Big Program For April 30

Accotink Lodge, No. 75, I O. O. F. is preparing to celebrate the 103rd anniversary of the order on April 30, by a big meeting to be held in Liberty Theatre in Camp Humphreys. Senator Claud A. Swanson has accepted an invitation to speak as has Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison. Many other prominent speakers will be on the program, which has not yet been completed. An invitation to attend has been issued to all lodges of Odd Fellows in the state and many have already accepted. Alexandria Canton and the Rebeka Lodges of Alexandria will attend in a body. Before the speaking, the post band of the camp will give a concert. The lodge and its visitors will assemble in the theatre at 2:30 o'clock.

THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett will address the League of Women Voters, Monday evening, March the 20th at 8 o'clock, in the lrawing room of the Chamber of Commerce.

A most cordial invitation is extended to all men and women of Alexandria to attend, as Mrs. Barrett will speak on questions of vital interest to every one. She is so in demand elsewhere that it was with great difficulty that the League was able to secure her for this date.

HARDING ENDS VACATION IN FLORIDA TODAY

President Will Face Serious Situation When He Again Takes Reins

OPPOSES CONGRESS

Harding and Leaders of Party Are Far Apart on Many Important Questions.

St. Augustine, Fla., March 18.—President Harding started for Washington today, after a 10-day vacation in Florida, to face the most difficult domestic situation which has yet confronted his administration.

He believes the immediate problems involving foreign affairs have been solved. His advices are that the four-power treaty will be ratified by a decisive vote in the Senate and that if this comes to pass, such opposition as may exist to the other, disarmament Conference treaties will dissolve.

But he knows now, as he knew when he left the capital, that he and Congress are far apart upon virtually every question of domestic concern now unanswered, that the breach between the White House and the Capitol has continued to widen, and that his nominal if not his actual leadership of his party is being openly ignored by those responsible for legislative results.

The President left Washington without notice to anybody, in order that Congress might have a fair opportunity to reflect upon the sharp issues that had been raised between him and that body. He has refused from the first to have any direct communication with the party leader whom he left behind He has declined to receive emissaries from these leaders or to exchange messages with them. It is suspected that he has found some satisfaction in allowing them to "sweat" over the hand he had dealt them.

But the vacation is now over. The President is about to re-establish contact with his party associates, and the fight for the integrity of the Administration's policies, if it can be called a fight, is about to be resumed. To be out of harmony with a Congress that he has studiously cultivated—even if he has not sought to dominate it—is distasteful to Mr. Harding, but disagreeable as it may be to him he is prepared again to face the facts as they are:

In the first place, the President and the House are in radical disagreement over the bonus legislation. They were in disagreement before he left Washington and his absence has done nothing to bring them closer together. On the contrary, the Ways and Means Committee has gone ahead with its plan for a certificate system of paying the former service men, disregarding all warnings that have issued from the Administration of the Executive's positive disapproval of that measure.

Nor is it assumed here that Speaker Gillett, who detached himself from the Presidential party yesterday in order to confer with House leaders tonight or tomorrow in advance of the President's arrival on Sunday, will bring about a reconsideration of the committee's action. It appears at this distance that the committee has proceded too far to turn back.

The Administration also faces a recalcitrant Congress on the question of a national defense policy. The President and his advisers still stand for an army of not less than 137,000 men and a navy of 90,000 men. The House appropriations committee, however, has resolved upon a slashing cut in both directions. The President's hope in this connection rests with the Senate, upon which body pressure will be concencrated for a stronger defense program.

Then again, the Administration is facing serious opposition to its ship subsidy program on the part of the farm bloc in Congress, opposition which has not yet been fully measured, but which may prove formidable. Nor has the President received any assurances that he will have any considerable Democratic support of the subsidy plan.

Once more the Administration finds itself under the necessity of dealing with pending claims against the Government a billion and a quarter of which are on file at the Department of Justice alone. In addition there are hundreds of millions in claims before both the Shipping Board and the Railroad Administration. These must be adjusted first, then financed by Congress, and some unpleasant information is soon to be laid before Congress on the subject.

Finally there is the tariff to be taken up. The Administration appears willing to have this go over until a future session of Congress, but there is an insistent demand on the part of House interests for action before the summer's adjournment. The Senate, on the other hand, is in no hurry about opening up a tariff debate which might run on for months.

1246 PATIENTS AT HOSPITAL DURING YEAR

Expenditures Exceeded Receipts By $803.95— Receipts Were $36,055.17

168 FREE PATIENTS

Receipts For Building Fund During Year Totaled $16,226 59—181 Births and 50 Deaths.

The forty-ninth annual report of the Alexandria Hospital for the year ending January 31, 1922, has just been issued from the press of Harry W. Wade. Contained therein are also reports of the managers, treasurer, superintendent and auxiliary societies. According to the report of Arthur Herbert, Jr., treasurer, the total receipts during the past year amounted to $36,055.17, and of this amount the sum of $31,736.63 came from pay patients at that institution. The expenditures exceeded the receipts by $803.95.

From the Alexandria Hospital building fund the receipts during the year amounted to $16,226.59, and the balance left on hand was $296.27. Included in the expenditures $8,000 paid on bond canceled, interest on bonds, cost of equipping X-ray room and machine and repair to heating plant and other incidentals.

During the year 1,246 patients were treated, of which number 168 were free patients, according to the report of Miss Fanny Carter, superintendent. Other information contained in her report follows: Total number of free days, 1,102; average number of patients, 37; number of births, 181; number of deaths, 50; number of surgical operations, 618; major operations, 181; minor operations, 437; emergency cases, 209; redressings, 228.

Mrs. L. Wilbur Reid, president of the board of managers of the hospital, also makes a report of the activities of the year. Her report follows:

In the name of the lady managers I have a goodly report to make of the this past year 1921. The great desideratum we had in view in the begininng of last year was an up-to-date X-ray plant and a well-outfitted laboratory—both aspirations have been realized. An X-ray plant, equal in quality and service to any in any hospital has been installed with a most efficient physician in charge, and I am pleased to report is giving entire satisfaction to the other physicians of our staff. We wish to thank the auxiliary to our board. Mrs. Julian Burke, their president, for their wonderful help in accomplishing this most necessary acquisition to help complete an up-to-date hospital, and now our other great need, the fitting up the laboratory, is nearly completed. To this end the same auxiliary to our board is working to raise $500 needed. The funds to accomplish this at once is being advanced them so the hospital will not be delayed in its work, and the laboratory plant is being installed. From a very successful entertainment given last spring, the proceeds from which enabled the board to floor over the nurses' dining room, rendered it more comfortable, and also covering the floor of the basement hall with a substantial composition. At the same time th board of trustees did the kitchen floor in the same way most satisfactorily. With the help of the board of trustees a fine laundry for the benefit of the nurses was built—a great need—and very much appreciated. The board of trustees painted the intrior of the hospital throughout and the beautiful cleanliness of the hospital, has been much praised. Many other needed things have been done for the good of the work. The churches and societies, through the members of the board of managers, have supplied all requisite needs to the memorial rooms, which are in their care. What can I say but to reiterate and accentuate what I have said as each year passed—of the untiring, faithful and most efficient work of our superintendents and nurses—the labor of love of our dietitian in excess of her regular duties in arranging the trays for the patients with unusual care and daintiness, especially on memorial and festive occasions.

The never failing response of the physicians and willing care taken of the many patients from whom no remuneration is expected or received. The members of our board have my sincere thanks for their constant courtesy and loyalty in every effort to do the work coming before us.

Last, but not the less valued, thanks are due our president of the board of trustees, Mr. Robert Jones, for his pa-

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CARD OF THANKS

The Jewish Relief Committee desire to express their thanks to the citizens of Alexandria for their generous contributions to the Jewish Relief Fund, as also to the Alexandria Gazette for assitance in giving publicity to the campaign.

Leopold Ruben, Chairman.

IRISH PROGRAM AT SILVER TEA

Capacity Audience Attends St. Patrick's Celebration at Lyceum Hall

Excellent Program Given —Affair Under Auspices of Catholic Daughters of America

St. Patrick's Day was celebrated last night with a musical program at the Lyceum Hall The hall was packed and during the evening Irish music and songs featured the program. The affair took the form of a silver tea, the committee of ladies of the Daughters of America, in charge of the arrangements, during the intermission serving refreshments.

A large Irish flag occupied the center of the stage and green was the pre dominating color. A silver offering was taken at the door for St. Mary's Cemetery fund. The porgram follows:

"Let Erin Remember the Days of Old" ..... Audience
Song and Dance..Miss Helen Sweeley
Recitation.....Miss Julia Duncan
Vocal Solo.....Thomas Priest
Violin Solo.....Geo. Jaeger
Vocal Solo.....Miss Ruby Davis
Intermission—Refreshments.
Vocal Solo.....Edward Sweeley
Columbian Players—Soloists.....
Misses M. Griffith, Miss Eleanor Nugent, Miss M Conlon and Thomas Priest.
"O'Donnell Aboo"..... Audience
"The Star Spangled Banner".....
Orchestro,Mrs. Edward Sweeley, C. M. Horgan, Geo. Jaeger and Mr. Riley.

BATTLESHIP WEST VIRGINIA IS RETAINED

Secretary Davis Despairs of Reaching Any Amicable Settlement

GIVES UP THE FIGHT

Denby Has Finally Chosen to Complete This Ship—Is Being Built at Newport News.

Washington, March 17.—Secretary Denby today ordered work on completion of the battleship West Virginia, building in the yards of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company, resumed, that vessel having been selected for completion instead of the battleship Washington under the terms of the naval limitation treaty.

Thespecial naval board, headed by Rear Admiral McElroy, which investigated for the secretary the degree of completion of the two ships, Secretary's announcement said, found the West Virginia to be 80 per cent finished, as compared to the 69 per cent completed status of the Washington.

Work on the Washington will remain suspended, as is the case with other new battleships and battle cruisers which are slated to be scrapped or converted when the treaty has been ratified and ratifications have been formally exchanged.

The Washington is under construction at the yards of the New York Shipbuilding Company at Camden, N. J.

By the terms of the treaty the United States was authorcaled, and on their completion to com-Virginia class" which were under construction when the Conference was called, an don their completion to commission these with the fleet and withdrawal from the active forces the older battleships North Dakota and Delaware, which will be scrapped.

The third battleship of that class which will be included in the treaty fleet is the Maryland, now in commission.

The battleship Colorado, of the same class, is under construction at the Camden yards, but so nearly completed that she was figured as a complete ship in the treaty discussions, and these two, the Colorado and the West Virginia, will be the vessels to be added to the fleet as the equivalent in the American navy for Japan's retention of the battleship Mutsu.

The Navy Department has not reached a decision as yet as to which of the three battle cruisers nearest to completion are to be converted into airplane carriers. Congressional authority for the construction of the carriers is required, and as soon as that is obtained the decision as to which two of the cruisers will be used for that purpose will be made.

It is generally assumed that the Lexington, building at the Fore River (Mass.) yards, and the Saratoga, under construction at the Camden yards, will be converted, while the Constellation, at Newport News, will be scrapped.

HOUSE DIVIDED OVER SIZE OF THE NEW ARMY

Kahn and Mondell Republican Leaders Take Opposite View

EARLY VOTE EXPECTED

Three Cornered Fight on Army Reduction Seems to Have Obliterated All Party Lines

Washington, March 18.—A difference of opinion was voiced by Republican leaders in the House yesterday over the size of the army during consideration of the army appropriation bill.

No sooner had Chairman Kahn, of the Military Affairs Committee, expressed opposition to any reduction in the enlisted or officer strength than Representative Mondell, Republican leader, declared he approved action of the subcommittee which famed the bill, in providing that by July 1 the enlisted personnel of the regular army must be cut to 115,000 men and the number of officers decreased to 11,000.

General debate was concluded late yesterday and indications were that the House would reach a vote today or Monday on sections of the bill relating to the size of the army.

With party lines disregarded to a certain extent the House membership appeared to be divided into three main groups—one determined to stand by the committee recommendations, another preparing to demand an army of 100,000 men, while the third was lining up in support of the War Department, which requested a pay allowance sufficient to maintain 150,000 men and 13,000 officers during the coming fiscal year.

Republican members were said to be represented in all three camps, while most of the Democrats were expected by their leaders to poin the "small army" forces, Representative Sisson, Mississippi, one of the Democratic members of the subcommittee in charge of the bill, having announced he would offer an amendment to reduce the number of enlisted men to 100,000.

During his address to the House Mr. Kahn took the position it would be "false economy" to order too drastic a cut in the army's size. He reminded his colleagues that Republicans and Democrats alike during the early staes of the war had stood behind a Democratic President in an attempt to build up an efficient fighting machine. The "splendid example" set then, he added, should be a "lesson" to the Appropriations Committee, which, he contended, in reporting the army appropriation bill had disregarded the expressed wishes o fthe Administration relative to enlisted and officer personnel.

The Californian read a letter from Secretary Hughes, in which objection was voiced to withdrawal of all regular army troops stationed in China, as proposed in the bill.

Mr. Mondell, declaring that the subcommittee which drafted the bill had not gone too far in providing pay for no more than 115,000 men and 11,000 officers, said he was convinced efficiency would not be sacrificed; that the force would be sufficient for all peace-time purposes, and that it could be quickly expanded into an efficient fighting organization in case of emergency.

Mr. Kahn had the support of Representative Greene, of Vermont, a Republican of the Military Affairs Committee and laso a member of the Republican steering committee, who protested particularly against the proposed reduction in the officer strength, and Representative Ballinger, Republican, Massachusetts, who expressed vigorous opposition to the committee recommendations.

During the debate Representative Harrison, Virginia, a Democratic member of the subcommittee of five which drafted the bill, declared that Secretary Weeks, after insisting a few weeks ago on an army of 150,000 men, was now showing a willingness to accept a reduction that would bring the enlisted personnel down to 130,000, slightly below the present strength.

Alexandrian Honored

Miss Helen Norris Cummings Receives Large Assignment From Women's Clubs Committee.

In accordance with the plans made at the board of directors meeting in Chicago, the General Federation of Women's Clubs has formed a committee of eight to arrange for the permanency of National Headquarters in Washington, D. C. The first step to be considered is the raising of the sum of $100,000 for the purchase of the building. Miss Helen Norris Cummings has been placed on this committee and has been assigned as her territory, District of Columbia, Virginia, West Virgina, Kentucky and North Carolina.

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CAN FIGURES LIE?

If you get the right kind of a statistician you can prove anything you like by figures. Not that the figures themselves are liars, but that it depends entirely upon the premise or hypothesis you set up, and the deduction or conclusion you draw from it. Which is another way of saying you really can't prove anything by figures.

We have been examining some figures recently, in regard to the costs of coal production and distribution. We have had the labor side and we have had the operators' side. The result is that we are almost ready to adopt Einstein's Theory of Relativity. This latter may be explained in a word to be that nothing is absolute; everything is relative to everything else. There is no such thing as a straight line; no persistence of force; no indestructibility of matter; no infinity of space; no eternity of time. It all depends on whether you mean what you say or say what you mean. And it is impossible ever to say what you mean or mean what you say. It used to be that there were what is known as axioms; supposed truths that were self-evident. But alas! This is all done away with. You can not any longer be certain that two and two are four; or that honesty is the best policy; or that white is white, and not grey, or even black!

To return to our mutton, however, or rather, our coal. We have figures that show that of the dollar obtained by the coal operator, 67.8 per cent goes to the miners; 12.6 per cent goes for supplies; 10.8 per cent goes for other operating expenses, and 8.8 per cent goes to general expense. This makes up the hundred per cent of the dollar received by the operator. According to this the operator gets nothing; which, according to the miner, is all he deserves.

Of the dollar the consumer pays, 51.5 per cent goes to the railroad, and 48.5 per cent goes to the mine operator; and out of this 48.5 per cent the latter has to pay all his costs, as hereinbefore enumerated.

The foregoing figures, needless to say, come from the operator, and are kindly compiled for him by the National Coal Association.

But now comes along Mr. Lewis, of the Miners' Union, and puts in pleas in confession and avoidance, and pleas in bar, and still other pleas the names of which we know not. And he says that a man in Philadelphia told him only yesterday—that is, some yesterday in February, 1922—that he paid $14.75 that day for a ton of nut coal delivered at his home. Mr. Lewis further says that out of that $14.75, the miners only got $1.00, and that the entire cost of that ton of coal did not exceed $1.75 at the mines. Wherefore, the obvious question is, who got the other $13, and did the miners get more than their share?

This is all interesting to the consumer, especially in view of the predicted coal strike on April 1st. As to the figures both sides give, we doubt not they can prove them beyond doubt. That is, they can prove the figures, but the premises and conclusions are another matter. Which again leads us to remark that figures never lie and they never prove anything!

LORTON NEWS

Mrs. Arthur Petitt was a week-end visitor with relatives in Alexandria.

Mrs. Frank J. Coffin and daughter, Mary Frank, were shopping in Washington Wednesday.

Mr. Kenneth I. Davis and Richard F. Claggett were visitors in Alexandria and Washington on Thursday.

Mrs. Susan Lee of Lewis Chapel neighborhood, passed away last Saturday. Interment took place Monday in the Lewis Chapel Cemetery.

Mr. Silas Selecman and family, of Occoquan, have been ill with influenza for the past week.

Misses Winnie, Violet and Margaret Davis, of Washington, spent the week-end with their parents.

Mrs. A. F. Malcolm and little daughter, Virginia, of Occoquan, were the guests of Mrs. James Dove on Tuesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moyer have returned from a week-end visit in Philadelphia, Pa.

Miss Katrine Fisher, who for the past week has been confined to her bed suffering from a cold, is able to be out again.

Mr. Douglas Springman has returned from a short visit to New York City.

The Lorton Social Club met Wednesday evening with Mr. Aubrey Shepherd.

The Lorton Postmaster, Mr. Mathews, is confined to his bed with a severe case of la grippe.

Miss Virginia Grimsley has returned to school in Washington, having recovered from a spell of tonsilitis.

Mrs. E. W. Millichampe, who was recently operated upon in the Alexandria Hospital, has recovered sufficiently to be at home. She is reported to be doing nicely.

For a third time a number of the young men, who belong to the Lorton and Occoquan dancing club, will attempt to make a success of a dance in the Tyric Theater on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Helen Springman, teacher from Washington School for Boys in Alexandria, Va., paid Lorton School a visit on Monday morning and was charmed with the ability of the pupils, due to the efficiency of their teacher, Miss Mattie Goodwin.

Mr. Herbert R. Harr of Washington, D. C., was recently appointed as constructing engineer at the D. C. Workhouse and Reformatory. Mr. and Mrs. Harr will occupy the houme furnished the engineer on the reservation. Mrs. Harr was formerly Miss Geraldine Davis of Alexandria, Va., and was a bride of last summer.

The Lee Chapel League met on Saturday evening with Mrs. M. R. Herndon with very good attendance. Mrs. Helen Springman, president of the league, presided. Mrs. Elmer Smith and children, of Alexandria, Va., were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Duvall, over the week-end.

Dr. Hogan was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Abel over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Abel entertained a few at cards on Saturday evening in honor of Mr. Abel's birthday. Those present were: Dr. Hogan, of Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. John Clancy, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fuchs and Mr. Crawford Bittenbender.

Crescent Lodge No. 33, I. O. O. F., met at their hall in Occoquan Tuesday evening. They have made a special request for all brothers to be present at the next meeting, when they will confer the initiatory degree upon several candidates. They will also elect their representative, who will represent their lodge at the Grand Lodge, which meets at Lynchburg on May 9 and 10.

Monday Eevning Club met on Monday evening with 46 present. A very interesting program was given. On Friday, the 17th, St. Patrick's Day, the club will hold a supper in the officers' dining room at the female department of the Workhouse. A menu of chicken or ham, candied sweet potatoes, baked beans, scalloped potatoes, scalloped tomatoes, cold slaw, pickles, jelly, coffee or tea, and pie. All for 50 cents. With the proceeds from this supper the club will purchase a radiophone, which is to be used in the interest of the meetings.

Abe Martin

"This is an unfeelin' world," said Tell Binkley, t'day. "When Judge Landis resigned ther wuz not a hand outstretched t' hold him." Th' flu comes in mighty handy if you want t' stay home from a party or keep off a jury.

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IF

If you can keep your head when all about you
Are losing theirs and blaming it on you;
If you can trust yourself when all men doubt you,
But make allowance for their doubting, too;
If you can wait and not be tired by waiting
Or being lied about, don't deal in lies,
Or being hated, don't give way to hating,
And yet don't look too good nor talk too wise.

If you can dream—and don't make dreams your master;
If you can think—and not make thoughts your aim;
If you can meet with triumph and disaster
And treat these two imposters just the same;
If you can bear to hear the truth you've spoken
Twisted by knaves to make a trap for fools.
Or watch the things you gave your life to broken
And stoop and build 'em up with worn-out tools;

If you can make one heap of all your winnings
And risk it on one turn of pitch and toss,
And lose and start again at your beginnings,
And never breathe a word about our loss;
If you can force your heart and nerve and sinew
To serve your turn long after they are gone,
And so hold on when there is nothing in you
Except the will which says to them, "Hold on!"
If you can talk with crowds and keep your virtue,
Or walk with kings—nor lose the common touch;
If neither foes nor loving friends can hurt you;
If all men count with you, but none too much;
If you can fill the unforgiving minute
With sixty seconds' worth of distance run,
Yours is the earth and everything that's in it
And—which is more—you'll be a man, my son.

Rudyard Kipling.

BOLL WEEVIL APPROACHES LIMITS OF COTTON BELT

After thirty years of slow, persistent advice since its first appearance in this country near the Mexican border, the boll weevil has now reached the limit of cotton cultivation, except in western Texas, southwestern Oklahoma, northeastern North Carolina, and Virginia, according to Department Circular 210, Dispersion of the Boll Weevil in 1921, just issued by the United States Department of Agriculture. Each step of the spread has been against the stubborn efforts of the Government, the States, and the individual planters to hold the pest in check.

The mild winter of 1920-21 and the wet summer of 1921 favored an abnormal multiplication of the insect throughout the territory affected. In determining the extent of its spread last year, the search over a great part of the territory surveyed was for the last cotton fields rather than for the weevil because all fields were infested. It still remains to be seen, says the circular, whether the weevil can maintain existence in the extreme portions of the cotton belt in which it now finds itself.

For the first time the States of Missouri and Kentucky were invaded by the weevil and all fields in these States were found to be infested. The gain west of the Mississippi River is very nearly equal to that east of the river. The greatest gain in any single State, however, is 15,700 square miles in North Carolina. The circular contains a map showing the spread of the pest each year since its discovery in 1892 in the southernmost ti of Texas. Copies of the circular may be had free upon application to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

BRICKYARDS IN COUNTY

Virginia Highlands, Va., March 17, 1922.

To the Editor
The Alexandria Gazette,
Alexandria, Virginia.
Dear Sir:

I see in your valuable paper of last Thursday a statement that the Arlington County Brick Yards, five in number, had such a narrow escape from being put out of business.

The writer does not know of but three yards, and two of these would not be effected in the least by the bill the Legislature passed; but, I have a picture of your esteemed townsman, Mr. Gardner L. Boothe, as he pleads before the Governor with tears in his eyes, for the thousands of poor people it would throw out of work. Our Governor, not knowing the situation, vetoed the bill, thereby making said Booth so happy and taking from a settlement of as fine and loyal citizens as there are anywhere, their happiness and pride in the homes they are paying taxes on.

The owner of the brick yards, "The Washington Terra Cotta Brick Company," lives in Washington in a palatial home on Connecticut Avenue; what does he care for Virginia, her people, or for the thousands of visitors who pass by this yard on their way to Alexandria and Mt. Vernon and see the unsightly, muddy hole of acres twenty or more feet deep?

If Mr. Boothe had had one penny's worth of interest at heart in Virginia, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon, to say nothing of Arlington County, he would never have interferred with the bill.

We people of Virginia Highlands are going to still fight for our homes and our rights and thank God we have a vote.

My best wishes for Mr. Booth are that within the next few days he will have to go to Russia and there take his chances of having enough to eat with the thousands of those poor, downtrodden people.

I am, very respectfully, a citizen of Virginia Highlands.

A. D. DAVIS,
Route No. 2, Alexandrvia, Va.

TUBERCULOSIS.

Early symptoms of any sickness are always important, but the early symptoms of tuberculosis are particularly so because this disease, though usually curable if taken in its early stages, is practically always fatal if neglected and so allowed to gain headway.

The death rate from tuberculosis, which has long been the highest from any disease in this country, is gradually growing smaller through the education of people to take proper precautions at the beginning of their illness, but even now this one disease causes the death of about 150,000 people every year in the United States. Tuberculosis is caused by a germ that may attack any tissue of the body, although it most frequently attacks the lungs of grown people and the bones and glands of children. The disease is not inherited, although susceptibility to it appears to be, and it is readily communicated from person to person. The germ of tuberculosis is so widely distributed that probably few persons over thirty years of age have not been infected with it at some time, although the infection may have been too slight to be noticed. Indeed, most people have probably been infected many times, though without serious results.

Tuberculosis is spread chiefly in two ways: First, through any bodily discharge from infected cows. The ways by which the disease is spread indicate methods of prevention. Milk, especially for children, should either be pasteurized or come from cows that have been tested and proved to be free from the disease. Other methods of increasing bodily resistance as much as possible, since tuberculosis is one of those diseases that are more apt to attack people whose vitality is at a low point.

Good food, sufficient rest and fresh air are not only important preventatives but also the most efficacious means of the cure of tuberculosis. Persons suffer from insufficient food, exposure to wet and cold, bad housing, long hours and bad conditions of work are especially susceptable to tuberculosis, as the germs, which are present in practically everyone, most with less resistance to their attack.

Early symptoms of tuberculosis include cough, hoarseness, loss of appetite, a pain in the side, loss of weight, getting tired easily, a rise in temperature in the afternoon, night sweats, expectation and spitting blood. No one, not even several, of these symptoms neccessarily indicates the presence of tuberculosis, but it does indicate the necessity for consulting a doctor. On the other hand, even the cough is not necessarily present when tuberculosis actually exists. When one or more of these symptoms appears and continues a through examination should be made by a physician, since the examination does not harm in any event and if tuberculosis is found immediate treatment is of the greatest importance.

No known drug or medicine is a cure for tuberculosis. Successful treatment depends upon taking the disease in time, providing proper food, rest and living conditions, and following the doctor's instructions unremittingly.

VIRGINIA PAGEANT DRAMA

A big feature during "March of Progress Week," May 22nd-28th, when the Virginia Historical Pageant Drama will be staged, will be a tilting tournament, under the auspices of the Pageant Association, typifying the spirit of olden times when, with charging steed and steady lance Knights of the period entered the lists to contest for the honor of crowning milady fair.

The tournament will be a champion ship affair, open to horsemen of Virginia, and will be staged at the Fair Grounds. The prizes will aggregate $75, divided as follows:

$300 to the winner.

$200 to the Knight who finishes second.

$100—to the Knight who finishes third.

$50—to the Knight who finishes fourth.

$50—To the rider of the best looking and best mannered horse.

$50 for the best costume.

The rules under which the tournament will be staged require every contestant to be in full costume, representing some period in history. The Knights will tilt with nine (9) foot lances, balanced four (4) feet from the point, with steel points permitted.

The distance will be one hundred (100) yards, with three (3 arches, and the horses will be required to negotiat the distance in six (6) seconds flat. To the winner will go the honor of crowning the Queen of Love and Beauty at a grand ball to be given in one of the local armories, the other successful Knights crowning the Maids of Honor to the Queen, who will be costumed befitting her station.

The County Pageant Auxiliary Committees have been requested to nominate one Knight to be known as the Knight of their County in the tournament, who will be required to pay no entrance fee. Contestants not nominated by County Pageant Committees will be charged an entrance fee of five dollars ($5.00), payable to Secretary W. B. Cridlin, Room 7, Mutual Bldg., Richmond, Va. The fee is payable not later than May 15th. The Tournament will be stagd on "World War Day," Friday, May 26th.

Rings of a size to test the skill of the best of horsemen will be used. The rings will range in size from three quarters of an inch to one and three quarters of an inch in diameter. Free stabling quarters will be provided Knights at the State Fair Grounds.

A monster parade through the streets of Richmond, in which the Queen of the Pageant, attended by her Maids and Courtiers, all in costume will precede the tilting.

It is expected that the tournament with its renumerative purses, will attract the best riders in the State. Frank S. Sinclair, of York County, who has several times been returned a winner in tournaments in Eastern Virginia, and who is regarded one of the best tournament riders in the State, has already signified his intention of riding here, as have also the Sinclairs and Curtis boys of Hampton and the Cowles Brothers of James City.

The Committee in charge of arrangements for the tournament is composed of Col. G Percy Hawes, Chairman and Marshal; R. T. Corbel, H. C. Beattie, Sr., H. C. Beattie, Jr., and Muscoe H. Garnett.

SEND IT ALONG!

Managing Editor, Gazette,
Alexandria, Va.
Dear Sir:

Shawnee recently won the prize of $2500 offered by the Rotary Club as the best city in Oklahoma in which to live and rear a family. Thirty-nine other cities took part in this contest.

We have a story about how Shawnee won the prize as the best city in Oklahoma in which to live that would make a good feature story for you. If you would care to use this story, we would ge glad to send it to you, free of charge.

Yours very truly,
Shawnee Board of Commerce.
E. R. Waite, Secretary.

ALWAYS TIRED NO AMBITION

Nervous and Dizzy, Everything Seemed to Worry Me. How I Got Well

Larwill, Indiana.—"My back was so bad I could not do my washing. I was always tired out and had no ambition, was nervous and dizzy and everything seemed to worry me and I had awful pains in my right side. I felt badly about four years and could not do my work as it should have been done. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised so much and it did so many people good that I began to take it myself. I am feeling fine now and every one tells me they never saw me looking so well. I live on a farm, do all my work, and have three little girls to take care of. I am recommending this medicine to my friends and know it will help them if they use it like I do." — Mrs. HERBERT LONG, R. R. 3, Box 7, Larwill, Indiana.

Many women keep about their work when it is a great effort. They are always tired out and have no ambition. When you are in this condition give it prompt attention.

Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for it is especially adapted to correct such troubles, as it did for Mrs. Long.

At The Churches Tomorrow

St. Mary's Church, Rev. Louis Smet pastor, masses 7, 9 and 11 a. m. Sunday school 10 to 11 o'clock. Lenten services, masses every morning 8 and 7.30, evening services, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 7.30 p. m., with special service for the children every Thursday at 3.15 p. m.

Christ Church, Rev. Wm. J. Morton, D. D., rector, Sunday School and Bible Class at 9:30 a. m. Services and sermon 11 a m., and 8 p. m. Pews free and all welcome.

Preceding the evening service there will be organ recital, beginning at 7:30. See program in another column.

Trinity M. E. Church, Sunday services, 9:30 a m., Sunday School, 9:45 Men's Bible Class.

A cordial invitation is extended to all men not connected with any other Bible Class.

11:00 a. m., sermon by Dr. Martin, pastor.

7:30 p m., sermon by Dr. Martin. The public is cordially invited to attend both public services.

Pentecostal Services at 102 South Washington street, Sunday School, 10 a. m., preaching services 2:30 p. m., and 7:30 p. m., Thursday. All welcome. P. C. Duborg, pastor.

Free Methodist Church, Rev. E. W. Sandys pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m., followed by class meeting. Also the 1st Sabbath in every month will be an old fashioned close class meeting. Class meetings on Tuesdays at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meetings on Thursdays at 7:30 p. m. Young People's meeting every Sabbath evening at 6:30 p. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m., by pastor.

Immanuel Lutheran Church, Rev. Carl Goette, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Services 11 a. m.

Grace Episcopal Church, Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector, order of services tomorrow; Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m., Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., morning service, 11 a. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m.

The Methodist Episcopal Church, South, West side South Washington street, near King. Rev. Dr. E. V. Regester, pastor. Services at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. The Henry K. Field Bible Class for men at 9:45 a. m. The men of Alexandria and vicinity will be welcomed here. Epworth League 7:15.

Methodist Protestant Church North Washington Street, Sunday School and Men's Bible Class meet at 9:30 a. m., a hearty welcome awaits all who are not connected with any other Sunday school. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, the pastor will take as his subject: "Sitting Outside of the Palace."

Young People's Meeting at 7:00 p. m. All the Boy and Girl Scouts are invited to this meeting.

Evening service of song at 7:45.

A good bright hearty song service of old time songs by the choir and congregation for twenty minutes before the pastor preaches on the subject, "The Angel That Goes Before You."

The pastor extends a hearty welcome to strangers and friends to come and enjoy these popular services. The church that serves. The pastor, Rev. Robert Browne will preach at both services.

Second Presbyterian Church services Sunday 11 a. m., and 8 p. m., Rev. Jno. L. Allison, rector. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m.

Christian Science Society—Services at Lee Camp Hall, 806 Prince street, Sunday at 11 a. m., and Sunday School at 10 a. m., and services Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Pohick Church—Rev. E. W. Mellichampe rector. Services at 11:00 a. m.

Meade Episcopal Chapel—Rev. Lorenzo A. King, rector. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m., Sunday School, 3:30 p. m. Evening prayer and address 5 o'clock.

Holy Communion first Sunday in the month 11 a. m., third Sunday at 7:30 a. m.

Second Baptist Church, Rev. O. P. Lloyd, pastor. Morning worship 10 a. m., evening worship, 7:45. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Owen P. Lloyd. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Bible Class "J. P. Woody Bureau" for men. J. A. Hulfish, President, T. L. Noell, teacher, C. M. Houston, assistant teacher. Classes for all ages. Geo. K. Bender, superintendent.

B. Y. P. U., 6:45 p. m. E. L. Cornell, president.

Midweek prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.

First Baptist Church, Rev Eugene B. Jackson, D. D., pastor, residence 126 North Columbus street. Sunday 11:00 a. m., Worship with preaching.

7:45, Worship with preaching.

Wednesday, 8 p. m., Praise and Prayer Service.

Woman's Missionary Society, Mrs. E. B. Jackson, President, second Friday evening in each month at the church.

Young Woman's Auxiliary, Miss Mary Williamson, President, first Monday in each month, at 717 Princess street.

Young Girl's Auxiliary, Mrs. L. Risheill, in charge, first and third Wednesdays in each month at 3 p. m.

Sunbeams, Miss Rigney, in charge. Meeting alternating Sundays at 3 p. m., at the church.

Royal Ambassadors, J. C. Gaines leader, meeting each Friday evening at 7.30 at the church societies. B. Y. P. U., 6.45 p. m.

Aid Society, Mrs. N. L. Williamson, President, Mite Society, Mrs. A. S Mankin, President. Meeting the first Thursday in each month at the church, at 3 p. m.

Social Union, Mr. Charles Yeager, President, last Friday in each month at private homes, in the evening.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Pitt street, near Duke., Rev. Percy Foster Hall, rector.

8 a. m., Holy Communion.

9:30 a. m., Sunday School.

9:45 a. m., Bible Clases for Men and Women.

11 a. m., third sermon on "The Whole Armor of God." Subject, "The Shoes."

In all contests of bodily strength in all athletic games, a good foothold is most important. So in our spiritual battles. How can we obtain a good foothold?

4:30 p. m., Bishop Brown will administer Confirmation to a class of 25 persons, and will preach. Come and give our Bishop a hearty welcome to St. Paul's.

8 p. m., the rector will preach at the Chapel of the Good Shepherd. No night service at St. Paul's.

The usual Lenten services on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 4 p. m., with prayers for the sick.

UP-HILL WORK

it has been with us to convince auto owners of the wonderful efficiency of our Welding Department, and that it was no longer necessary to wait for new parts from the factory. No matter what the part broken is, we can repair it and make it whole again which is not only a saving of money but of time and a great convenience to the car owner. Bring your broken parts here for expert repairing.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mr D. S. Crockett, of the Alexandria, Camp Humphreys Bus Line, left Friday for Patterson, N. J. He will bring back a bus and expects to return Monday.

Mrs. H. Norman Burch wishes to announce the marriage of her niece, Miss Dorothy Dean to Mr. Nevelle J Roberts, both of this city, on Wednesday, March 15, 1922.

The Baraca Class will hold forth tomorrow morning in the main auditorium of the First Baptist Church. All men of the city and vicinity will be cordially welcome as new scholars or visitors.

Hon. C. C. Carlin, of Alexandria, Va., is spending a few days at the new Ambassador Hotel, Park Avenue, and Fifty-First Street, New York City, N. Y.

The monthly business meeting of the T E. L. Class of the First Baptist Sunday School will be held Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in that church.

The Asbury Bible Class will visit the Westminster Class tomorrow morning. The Asbury Class will assemble at Trinity at 9:30 o'clock and go to the Second Presbyterian Church in a body.

Congressman Cooper, of Ohia, will lecture at the Men's meeting in the Westminster building tomorrow afternon at 3 o'clock. In addition to the speaking, there will be a special musical program All men are invited to attend.

There will be a musical tea given at the home of Mrs. Jones, 104 North Columbus street, Monday night March 20. All members of the W. B. A., of Maccabees are cordially invited, and at their regular meeting Tuesday night State Leader, Mrs. Etta M. King, will be present. Every member is earnestly requested to attend.

At a meeting held Wednesday night of the Crystal A. C., at the home of Mr. Raymond Hewitt, the following officers were elected, Field Manager, Harvey Dawson; Business Manager, Thomas Rowland; Field Captain, Frank Owens; Secretary, Joseph Taylor; Treasurer, Frank Stover. A meeting will be held next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Thomas Roland, 721 Queen street.

Rev. Dr. Jno. Lee Allison, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, will speak at the Marine Barracks, Quantico, tomorrow evening. Dr. Allison will occupy his pulpit tomorrow morning and will preach on the "Call to Personal Evangelism," at the evening service. Rev. Dr. Wm. Cumming will preach. Special music will be rendered by the choir.

LECTURE IN CHRIST CHURCH

Dr. Rollins will deliver his third lecture on St. Paul's Epistles at Christ Church on Tuesday at 8 p. m. The subject will be, I and II Thessalonians—probably the two earliest Christian documents which we possess.

The city of Thessalonica in St. Paul's Day in the light of modern knowledge; What we can learn from all sources about the church at Thessalonca; its membership, its virtues, and its fallings. St. Paul's pastoral relations are the church, when and why St Paul wrote the two letters to this church, the last letter which they wrote to St. Paul, an outline and interpretation of the contents of 1 and 2 Thessalonians, and, most important of all, that lessons have these two letters for the churches of Alexandria? What lessons have they for the ministers of Alexandria?

All those who are interested are requested to read, in preparation for the lecture, I and II Thessalonans. Read at least once and oftener, if possible. Read also Acts 17-19, describing the founding of the church, and Acts 18 11 about St. Paul's work at Cornth from which place he wrote both letters.

Dr. Morton and Dr. Rollins join in a most cordial invitation to all the churches of Alexandria to attend the lectures.

Christ Church Services

Services in Christ Church during the coming week will be as follows:

Sunday, March 19th, 9:30 a. m. Sunday School and Emmanuel Bible Class.

11:00 a. m., morning prayer and sermon.

The Rt. Rev. Wm. Cabell Brown, D. D., Bishop of Virginia, will preach and confirm a class of candidates at this service. The offerng will be for the "Bishop's Emergency Fund."

7:30 p. m., organ recital by Mr. Stockton.

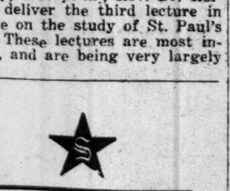
8:00 p. m., evening prayer and sermon by the pastor.

Tuesday, 8:00 p. m., Rev. Dr. Rollins will deliver the third lecture in his course on the study of St. Paul's Epistles. These lectures are most interesting, and are being very largely attended, not only by Episcopalians, but by many from other churches. The subject of this lecture will be I and II Thessalonians, and Dr. Rollins advises those who come to read over these Epistles before hearing the lecture if possible.

Thursday, 8 p. m., lecture on church history by the rector. Please note the change in day on which these lectures occur. During the remainder of Lent they will be given on Thursday nights instead of Wednesday.

Friday, 5 p. m., lecture by the rector on the Fourth Beatitude, Matt. 5:6

All pews in Christ Church are free, and all persons are cordially invited to all services in this historic old church.



Bible Thought for Today

Now the God of peace, make you perfect in every good work to do his will.—Hebrews 13: 20, 21.

NEWS IN THE GAZETTE 108 Years Ago

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE

Commercial and Political

FRIDAY, MARCH 17, 1814.

Mr. Richardson from the select committee reported a bill for the relief of John Whitney and Joseph H. Dorr. Referred to a committee of the whole house for next Saturday.

On motion of Mr. Yancey the house resumed itself into a committee of the whole, Mr. Pleasants in the chair, on a bill for the relief of James Doyle. The committee rose and reported the bill without amendment, and on motion of Mr. Yancey after some debate the bill was ordered to lie on the table.

A. H. S. VICTORIOUS

Midkiff and Dreifus Prove Better at Eating Than Shooting

The Alexandria High School basketball team added another to their string of victories last night when they met and overcame a most delightful supper, served to them at the home of Mrs. C. L. King, in Rosemont, by the large score of 33 to 0.

In spite of the one-sided score the game was by no means a walk-over but on the contrary was most interesting from whistle to whistle. Several times during the contest the game became quite close as for instance when the players in the first quarter danced to the melodious strains furnished by Mesdames Cole and Frost or when in the last quarter were packed around a beautifully decorated table, loaded down with good things to eat.

The stars were too numerous to mention, but among the outstanding features might be mentioned the singing of Pettit at center, the speaking of Dyson at guard, loving of Ramage at guard, the eating of Midkiff and Dreifus at forward.

The line up follows: Players:—Dreifus, Pettit, Milkiff, Dyson, Ramage, Wade, J Pohl, M. Pohl, Noland, Cockey, Fletcher, West, Jackson, Newton.

What came with them:—E. Olive, Plaskett, Crump, King, Drischler, Adams, Maigne, Blunt, Paff, Older, Blue Goose, Bladen, Carlin, Park.

Officials:—Mrs. Pettit, Mrs. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Frost, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden and Mrs. King.

Time. 8:30-12:00.

Deaths and Funerals

Arthur D. Lyles, seventy-eight years old, died yesterday afternoon at the Alexandria Hospital. The deceased was a baker by trade. He lived at 910 Pendleton street. The body was taken to Wheatley's mortuary chapel from whence the funeral will take place at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Burial will be in Union cemetery.

Funeral services for Cecil Hufty, who died Thursday night, will be held at 11 o'clock Monday morning at Wheatley's mortuary chapel, and will be conducted by Rev. Percy Foster Hall, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, and burial will be in Bthel cemetery. Members of the Elks and Eagles will attend.

IN CONGRESS YESTERDAY

HOUSE.

Met at noon and recessed at 4:50 p. m. until 12 o'clock today.

Withdrawal of American troops from the Rhine and payment for their expenses was the subject of a general discussion, participated in by Senators Lodge, Underwood, Borah, Robinson, Poindexter and Norris.

Minority Leader Underwood said the American troops had been "invited" by the allies to remain in Germany and the American claim for their maintenance was a just and proper one. Demand for the payment of the bill of $240,000,000 for the support of the American forces in Germany was concurred in by Republican Leader Lodge and by Senator Borah. Senator Underwood urged the appointment of an American representative on the allied reparations commission.

Chairman Norris announced that the agriculture committee would leave Washington March 25 for a survey of the Muscle Shoals project, the sale of which is now under consideration by congressional committees. The trip probably will be made jointly with the House committee.

Chairman McCumber, of the Finance Committee, announced he hoped to report the permanent tariff bill to the Senate within a week or ten days. The basis of valuation, the proposed dye embargo and the rates on sugar and wool remain to be settled.

HOUSE.

Met at noon and adjourned at 5:15 p. m. until 12 o'clock today.

Discussing the army appropriation bill, Chairman Kahn, of the Military Affairs Committee, warned the House that a reduction in the size of the army to 115,000 enlisted men and 11,000 officers, as proposed by the Appropriations Committee, would be "altogether too drastic a cut at this time."

Mr. Kahn reminded the House that it was because of the lack of preparedness prior to the entrance of this country into the world war that compelled the startling expenditure of $24,000,000,000 during the nineteen months the United States was in the war.

Opposition to further withdrawal of American troops from China was expressed by Secretary Hughes in a letter read to the House by Chairman Kahn, of the Military Affairs Committee.

Republican Leader Mondell approved the reduction made by the committee, and contended, despite what the President and General Pershing have said, that efficiency would not be sacrificed.

A Government corporation with capital stock of $500,000,000 would be created to make loans direct to farmers under a bill introduced by Representative Lankford (Democrat), Georgia.

PIMZIE as usual was "snooping" (as Snookums says) around the world where Humans live, and how the little Brownie loves to "snoop"! He likes to see new things and people and to hear what is going on.

This time he had climbed up an ivy vine that ran up alongside a house, had carefully crawled into a window, up on to bookcase, where he hid behind a large picture frame, and he was listening just as hard as he could listen. In the room a little girl was sitting on her father's knee while he read aloud to her. It was a very wonderful story, and Pimzie was just as interested as the little girl. The name of the story was "Through the Looking Glass, and What Alice Found There," and Pimzie heard the father read:

"But four young Oysters hurried up,
All eager for the treat:
Their coats were brushed, their faces washed,
Their shoes were clean and neat.
And this was odd, because, you know,
They hadn't any feet."

Pimzie burst out laughing, for, of course, he knew how silly it was to talk in this way about Oysters. Yet he liked the rime and was terribly talk in this way about Oysters. Yet he liked the rhyme and was terribly upset when the child and her father stopped short, looked in astonishment at one another and listened, for they had distinctly heard his tiny giggle.

"What's that, Daddy?" the little girl asked wonderingly.

"Can't imagine!" the man answered. "I guess it must be a mouse."

You see, the Brownie being smaller than a mouse, his laugh is naturally even fainter than the squeak of one of those wee animals. After a moment of silence the man reopened the book and was just about to continue reading when the little girl's mother entered the room saying that it was dinner time. She came over to her husband and daughter and, leaning over their shoulders, she looked at the book.

"So, you're reading your favorite story!" she laughed. "Come along. Are you hungry? We are having Oysters for dinner—I hope they, too, are 'clean and neat.' Do you suppose you will enjey eating them just after having read about them?"

The child smiled and, jumping from her father's knee, they all three left the room. Pimzie left the room, too! He scrambled down from the bookcase and scurried after them, down the hall and into the dining room; for Pimzie, as you know, never wants to miss a thing—and he rarely *does* miss anything, either!

He saw the three people seat themselves at table, and he saw the oysters brought on and placed before them. He saw them squeeze lemon juice on the oysters and spear them with tiny forks.

"Oh," cried the little girl as she hurled her face in a napkin. "My oysters aren't 'clean and neat.' This one had a stone in it! It almost broke my tooth!"

Very carefully she took the little stone from her lips.

"It's round and white. Look, Mother," and she handed her the stone.

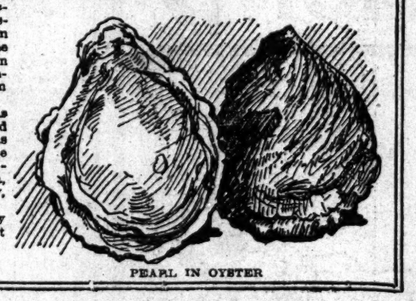
"Why, it's a pearl!"

The little girl was very happy and excited, and said she would like to have the pearl placed in a ring so that she could wear it.

"Well," exclaimed the father, "I hate to disappoint you, but lots of people make that same mistake—for it is a mistake. Pearls—I mean the pearls that one wears are found in oysters that are entirely different from those we eat."

Pimzie was just as sorry as the child, and before the meal was over he hurried home to the End-of-the-Earth to ask Stella, his Wishing Fairy, what it meant.

To-morrow's story will tell you about Pearl Oysters.



PEARL IN OYSTER

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By DOROTHY ETHEL WALSH.

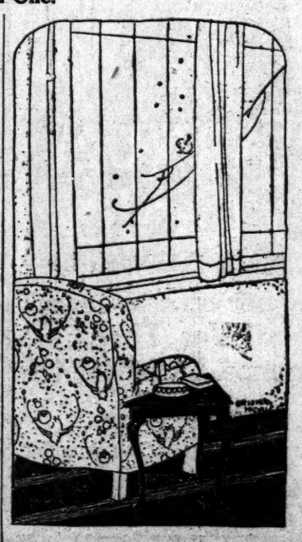
A Large Room Calls for Larger Designs Than Does a Small One.

Not only when selecting furniture should the size of a room be held in mind, but when choosing the fabric designs as well. A large room can better take care of a large patterned material than can a small one. By taking care of a pattern I mean not letting it dominate its surroundings.

If a certain material used in a room is out of proportion to it, if it is large in design while the room is small, that material will dominate and make the room appear full of it. And any room which seems full of furnishings gives the impression of being crowded.

Therefore before selecting a certain delectable cretonne you have seen in the shops ask yourself if its pattern is suitable in size to the proportions of the room for which you intend it. And if your room is not above average do not select a large floric design.

The artist to-day has shown you a cretonne slip cover on a chair. The pattern is conservative. It does not stand out decidedly from its background. The room in which it is used is of rather limited dimensions, so it is well that the coloring of the material is conservative also. Bright hues make an object more noticeable and a chair should never be that in a small room. Soft blues, grays and greens, therefore, were chosen for this small room furniture slip.



WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

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coal strike in the bituminous fields on April 1. This was the concensus of opinion of high administration officials today, on the basis of their latest reports. Large reserve stocks of coal are being accumulated by extensive industrial users and by public utilities and railroads. Several members of the President's Cabinet have completed a minute study of the possible effect of a coal strike upon the public. When the President returns to the White House from Florida on Sunday afternoon reports showing the preparedness of the United States to go through a strike of the soft coal miners will be placed before him.

Reserve stocks of soft coal now above ground were estimated by officials at close to 70,000,000 tons by April 1, this figure will be increased to nearly 1,000,000 tons. This includes reserve stocks of coal mined but not moved to prospective buyers bins.

The American boy, who goes in for radio telephony, must be regulated by law to insure the wildest development of the radio and its maximum good in the public interest. This is the recommendaton of the amateur committee of the Radio Conference in its report to Secretary of Commerce Hoover.

The committee holds that the amateur's status must be clearly defined by Congress and declares that a provision of the law should place specified limits of the wave length band allocated to such radio operators. It was further recommended that the Secretary of Commerce be empowered to subdivide the amateur allocation into smaller wave lengths bands for various classes of amateur transmitting apparatus.

Bootleggers owe the government more than $100,000,000 in income and excess profits taxes on receipts during 1921, it was estimated here today. Following announcement that two New York bootleggers actually filed tax returns, government officials are giving attention to the question of whether or not a majority of illegal booze dealers can be made to pay up. With its tax collections falling off daily, the government is hard up, figuratively speaking. Not more than $2,000,000,000 will be received from the income and excess profits tax during 1922, it is estimated and the total may run as low as $1,600,000,000.

The government's pocketbook would be fattened by approxmately five per cent as far as income totals go were the bootlegers forced into a position from which they could not carry their illegal earnings to safety Their income tax contributions would nearly equal the sum to be spent on the Veterans' Bureau.

Isaac Gregg.

DIVORCE PROBE CLOSED WITH ARGUMENTS

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was domiciled in Stafford County, had properly established a residence in Alexandria, and, although still actually residing in Washington, was justly entitled to a divorce under the Virginia law.

To the Stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company:

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the By-Laws of the company the Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company will be held at ten o'clock in the forenoon on Monday, April 24th, 1922, at the princial office of the Company, No. 111 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va.

1.—To elect a Board of eleven Directors of the Company.

2.—To transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

66-72 2c. Edward Ruhl, Secretary.

To the Stockholder,

Iris Realty Association, Inc

A special meeting of the Stockholders of the Iris Realty Association, Inc., will be held at 8 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, March 22, 1922, at 128 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va., for the purpose of dissolution of this corporation as per resolution adopted by the Board of Directors on March 13, 1922.

(Signed) W. T. Polen, Secty.
239 8th St. S. E., Wash., D. C.
66-3c

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In another case cited, in which a man named Cooper claimed domicile in West Virginia, although appearances pointed to his residence and domicile in Virginia, he having even voted in Virginia. Cooper was pronounced by the court of appeals to be domiciled in West Virginia, and to have a residence in Virginia.

A person may have onlyone domicile, said Mr. Barbour, but he may have a dozen residences. Having once established a domicile, and having complied with the requirements of the law in regard to actual residence at the time of filing suit. Mr. Barbour points out that a judge who would atempt to act upon a case in the light of any personal knowledge would be derelict in his duty.

Mr. Barbour declared Judge Moncure was entitled to a clean bill of health There has, he said, been a steady attempt to divert and to bulldoze the committee and make it appear they were not going to do their duty. Mr. Barbour arraigned the tactics employed by Frank Stuart and asserted that the statement that the good people stood behind him was false. He asserted that Mr. Stuart's standard of the good people is not recognized by law. Concluding he declared Mr. Stuart by every standard of judgment had tried to besmirch Judge Moncure and the bar and to cast discredit upon the city of his adoption.

1246 PATIENTS AT HOSPITAL DURING YEAR

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tient attention to our calls on him for acquiescence in our hospital needs and for advice, to Miss Young, for her help to me as treasurer of the board of managers, and to our faithful and obliging treasurer, Mr. Arthur Herbert, who deserves our thanks and all the good things that could be said for the free gifts of his service for so many years.

MRS. L. WILBER REED,
President.

The religion of patients given follows:

Baptist, 302; Catholic, 164; Episcopal, 180; Methodist, 254; Presbyterian, 73; Christian Church, 11; Lutheran, 15; Protestant, 12; Quaker, 3; Hebrew, 8; Congregational, 3; Seventh Day Adventists, 1; Moravian, 2; Church of God, 2; Church of Brethren, 1; Union Brethren, 3; International Bible Student, 1; Members of no church, 141.

The report is replete with interesting dates and is comprehensive and neatly gotten up and well illustrated.

Dr. R. F. CLARK
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Mrs. L. C. Nalls, 911 Duke St., Alexandria, says: "I could hardly get around the house my back was so weak and sore and when I got down it was almost impossible to straighten again. I couldn't rest at night and mornings I felt so weak and tired it was all I could do to dress. My kidneys acted irregularly and caused me a great deal of misery. My head ached a great deal; it was a dull, steady pain. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Summers' Drug Store and the first box did me so much good I used another. My back stopped aching and my kidneys have not caused me any trouble since."

Mrs. Nalls gave the above statement on April 10, 1915 and on March 15, 1919, she added: "I was pretty bad off with kidney trouble and nothing helped me the way Doan's Kidney Pills did."

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FRATERNAL ORDERS

MASONIC DIRECTORY

Alexandria-Washington Lodge No. 22 Meets every second and fourth Thursday in every month. Percy Clift, Worshipful Master; C Page Waller, Jr., Secretary; James E. Shinn, Treasurer.

Andrew Jackson Lodge, No. 120. Meets every first and third Thursday in every month. C. C. Batcheller, Worshipful Master; O. S. Stone, Secretary; William Lewis Allen, Treasurer.

Mount Vernon Royal Arch Chapter, No. 14. Meets on the first Friday in every month. Boyd J. Richards, High Priest; William Lewis Allen, Treasurer; F. W. Latham, Secretary.

Old Dominion Commandery, No. 11. K. T. Meets every third Friday in every month, Robert A. Zachary, Commander; Charles E. Outcalt, Treasurer; F. W. Latham, Recorder.

Martha Washington Chapter, No. 42, O. E. S., meets every third Tuesday in every month. Mrs. Louise E. Wade, Worthy Matron; Dr. Charles E. Outcalt, Worthy Patron; Mrs. Mary E. Dyson, Secretary; Mrs. Christina E. Bales, Treasurer.

Washington Memorial Lodge of Perfection, No. 7, A. A. S. R. Meets on the second Friday of every month. Chester A. Gwinn, K. C. C. H., Venerable master.

Randolph Chapter, No. 3, Knights Rose Croix, Meets every fourth Friday in January, March, May, July, September and November. Chester A. Gwinn, 32d, K. C. C. H., Wise Master.

Lafayette Council, No. 2, Knights Kadosh, Meets every fourth Friday in January, March, May, July, September and November, J. J. Green, 32d, commander.

Virginia Consistory No. 2 M. R. S. Meets every fourth Friday in March June, September and December, A. M. Sherwood, K. C. C. H., Venerable Master of Kadosh.

William Lewis Allen, 32d, Hon. Treasurer; F. W. Latham, 33d, Hon. Secretary; George W. Zachary, 32d, Tiler of all bodies.

Master Masons Club meets on the third Tuesday in each month at 8 p. m., in the Club Rooms, corner Cameron and Alfred Sts.

J. H. TRIMYER, President,
W. C. CUNNINGHAM, Secretary
F. W. LATHAM, Treasurer.

MASONIC NOTES

The called communication of Andrew Jackson Lodge No. 120 scheduled for Monday evening, March 20th has been called off.

Tuesday, March 21st, regular meeting of Martha Washington Chapter No. 42 O. E. S. Masonic Temple at 7:30 p. m. Regular monthly meeting of Master Masons Club, Tuesday, March 21st, 8 p. m.

Wednesday, March 22nd, called convocation Mt. Vernon Royal Arch Chapter No. 114. Select Royal and mast. Excellent master's degrees.

Thursday, March 23rd stated communication of Alexandria Washington Lodge No. 22. Routine business and master mason's degree.

Friday, March 24th regular meeting of Lafayette Council Knights Kodash. No. 2 and Randolph Chapter No. 3 Knights Rose Croix. Routine business and 15th degree.

Do not forget ladies night. Elks Hall March 30th, given by Andrew Jackson Lodge No. 120, all master mason's and their ladies are invited.

Seminole Tribe No. 35 held a very interesting council on last Thursday evening. Several applications received and several palefaces elected to receive the degree of the order. On Thursday, April 6. Mr. Roscoe E. Hughes the Great Senior Sagamore of the Great Council of Virginia will pay an official visit to Seminole Tribe No. 35 and the tribe will honor on this occasion the Past Sachem of the tribe, the council will be known as the past Sachem council and the committee will arrange if possible to have all the former sachem present on this date.

The Adoption Degree will be conferred after which the Good of the Order Committee will take charge of the Social Session. Seminole Tribe and Osceola Tribe have engaged the Citizens Band to give a joint benefit band concert and musical in the Young Peoples Building on Friday, April 21.

Silver Moon Council

Silver Moon Council No. 15 held a very interesting meeting on last Monday night in the Alexandria National Bank Building. The degree of the order was conferred on several candidates. The council will give its annual dance in Odd Fellow's Hall on North Columbus street on Monday, March 20. Music will be furnished by Jazz Orchestra from Washington and all members and friends are invited to attend the dance.

Knights of Columbus

Our next meeting will be held next Wednesday evening at the club rooms. Our meetings of late have been more than interesting. There seems always that "party" feeling about our gatherings at the club, which is now provided with practically all kinds of smokes and good things to eat. The home committee has certainly worked hard for the members, and it cannot be gainsaid that the members appreciated all that they have done for the council, both at the regular Friday night meetings and at divers times throughout the week. Our club rooms are ideal in every respect, and afford the local Knights of Columbus an excellent haven at those times when they feel like absorbing a little of the fraternal sides of life. After all, appreciated and enjoyable relationships with our co-humans constitute about the fullest extent of human happiness, and our club rooms are indeed very instrumental in enabling us to enjoy this greatest of human pleasures. While our club rooms are not yet fully paid for, every member is deeply interested in seeing the debt cleared off as soon as possible, and it is indeed gratifying to the Home Committee to realize how earnestly each individual bond subscribed is trying to pay off all of the instalments that might be due on his particular bond. With this spirit among the membership, it will not be long before we will have a little celebration at the club rooms in commemoration of the fact that "there a'nit no such animule as a mortgage."

Next Monday evening is the date of the next Executive Council meeting of our organization. All officers are requested to be present.

(This column will be published each week on Saturday, and is open to all Fraternal Orders of the city. Contributions should be sent to the Fraternal Editor so as to reach this office not later than nine o'clock Fri-

CENTENARY OF MISSIONS

Nashville, Tennessee. —Not all of the $37,000,000 pledged by Southern Methodists to the Centenary of Missions movement enterprised by that denomination, is being expended in foreign lands to the neglect of needy causs in America.

Figures from the home mission department, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of which Dr. R. L. Russell, of Nashville, Tenn., is head, show that since the beginning of the Centenary movement thre, years ago more than $1,800,000 has been given to missionary work in the United States, including the following lines of effort; $120,000 yearly to ten mountain schools in the Appalachian section; $100,000 a year to Negro schools under control of the Colored Methodist Church; work for foreigners in this country, including Cubans, Italians, Bohemians, Mexicans and Orientals; work among the coal miners and cotton mill workers; churches and schools for the Indians of Oklahoma and Idaho; $10,000 yearly in the work of Christian literature; settlement work, evangelistic and city mission work, in 48 cities and community work in many rural communties.

It is said that ten per cent of all the Centenary money paid in by a local conference is returned to that conference to help needy charges and open new missionary work in the homeland. A Centenary collections movement is now in progress through out the bounds of Southern Methodism in an effort to bring up all arrearages before the meeting of the general conference in May. March 26 has been adopted by that denomination as "World Sunday" when Centenary claims will be presented to every church in the connection.

RIVER-HARBOR APPROPRIATIONS

Unless the friends of waterways follow the suggestion of Hon. John H. Small, president of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, and take the matter up immediately and vigorously, with their senators and representatives, the appropriation for the maintenance and the improvement of rivers and harbors during the coming fiscal year will be grossly inadequate.

The amount actually expended for this purpose during the past fiscal year was $41,237,607.98, and the amount expended during the present fiscal year will be greater still. The original estimates of the army engineers for the next fiscal year called for $62,000,000, but under orders to "cut to the bone," this was reduced to $42,815,661. The budget bureau arbitrarily cut this amount to $27,885,260, and this, plus $75,000 for surveys, making a total of $27,960,260, is the amount carried in the bill making appropriations for the War Department which has just been submitted by the House Committee on Appropriations.

Eliminating all known duplications, the water-borne commerce of the United States for the calendar year 1920 amounted to 369,269,026 tons, having a value of $19,510,496,495. In addition to this there were transported 286,198,891 passengers.

The amount recommended by the army engineers for the coming fiscal year can certainly not be called extravagant, for it i sequivalent to only 11.6 cents per ton, and a little less than 2.2 mills per dollar of value of the commerce carried in 1920. The amount carried in the army appropriation bill is equivalent to a little less than 7.6 cents per ton and to only 1.4 mills per dollar of the value of the 1920 commerce, or in other words, to less than one-seventh of 1 per cent.

An appropriation of less than $28,000,000, where the engineers say $43,000,000 is the least amount required, means first, that work on all the rivers and harbors in the United States must be skimped and slowed down—unless some of them are taken care of and others totally neglected—and second, that not a stroke of work can be done on new projects, many of which have been waiting for years and some of which are urgently needed.

The bill introduced in the House on March 7 by the committee on rivers and harbors adopts 25 new projects and authorizes the modification of five others.

Any action taken must be immediate to have any result. There seems small probability that any increase in the amount named by the committee on appropriations will be made in the House. Requests that they vote and work for an increase should therefore be addressed to members of Senate. and these should b followed up with letters and telegrams to representatives in the House, so that any increase made by the Senate will be sustained by the House conferees.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank our relatives and many friends for the beautiful floral tributes and use of cars attending my husband's funeral, also the kindness received during his long illness.

By his wife and Family.
Mrs. William Toothill, 529. South Fairfax Street.
65-1p.

OUR SOLDIER DEAD

The last large shipment of remains of soldier dead, returned for burial under the Stars and Stripes, will be completed when the Army Transport Cambrai reaches New York about March 30, with 1224 flag draped caskets, With the arrival of the Cambrai the reverent task of the Quartermaster Corps of the Army of bringing home the bodies of those who fell in France, will be practically finished. Plans are already underway for appropriatee services and ceremonies at the dock, to pay final tribute to those who made the supreme sacrifice.

After the Cambrai lands her precious freight, approximately only 325 bodies will remain abroad to be brought to the United States for burial. Up to March 1 the Graves Registration Service of the Quartermaster Corps had returned to this country the remains of 44,418 of those Americans who died on foreign soil. So perfect have been all arrangements incident to last journey, that many commndatory letters from relatives and friends of those returned for burial, have been received by the Quartermaster General's Office. Every effort has been made to accord the soldier dead the most reverent care, from the time of disinterment to the time the casket reaches its final resting place. Recently Major General H. L. Rogers, Quartermaster Gneral, made a secial trip to France to inspect the activities of the American Graves Registration Service, and on his return expressed himself as fully satisfied with every detail of the work

Concentration of bodies in American cemeteries abroad will be continued, as about 32,000 of those who died overseas are not to be returned for burial here, according to the desire of their next of kin. The policy of the government is to remove the soldier dead from battlefield burial grounds, and to reinter them in permanent cemeteries which will be cared for by the Unitd States, as are national cemeteries in this country.

SOUTHERN DISTANCE TABLE SIMPLIFIES TRAFFIC WORK

Combining in one handy volume the distance between all points on the Southern Railway System, the Atlanta general freigt office has issued a tariff known as "Distance Table No. 1, ICC No. A-9275," which will be of great help to traffic representatives, local agents and rate clerks.

The contents of this book are indexed and arranged so that the correct distance between any gvien points may be ascertained quickly. It will be a great time saver for employees who heretofore have been able to obtain distances only by refering to the several divisions in which combinations would appear. The book contains an outline map of the Southern Railway System with the distance between various junction points indicated.

"Distance Table No. 1" was compiled by Executive Clerk J. J. Henderson, who was engaged on the work for more than eight months This tariff will apply only when specific reference is made thereto. It became effective February 28, cancelling Station List No. 6, Southern Railway I. C. C. No.-8933 and CS&F I.C.C. No. 830.

Attention is called to three new junctions shown in the distance table; viz., Birmont, Ga., north of Atlanta, and Roe Junction, Tenn., and New Line, Tenn., between Paint Rock and Knoxville.

YUKON DELTA BIRD RESERVATION CANCELED

At the request of the Secretary of Agriculture, the President issued an Executive Order on February 27, 1922, revoking an order which 13 years ago set aside the Yukon Delta Reservation, Alaska, as a preserve and breeding ground for native birds. The action was taken at the instance of the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture, which, in the administration of such reservations, has found that that no useful purpose would be served in the continuation of this extensive preserve for the reason that so far as white settlers are concerned the region is remote and of too marshy a character to be desirable for settlement and this fact protects the birds to a great extent although many are taken annually by the resident Eskimos for food purposes. The reservation comprised approximately 8,,000,000 acres, and with the limited funds at the disposal of the Department it was impossible adequately to administer it. The tundras of this vast area are inhabited chiefly by Eskimos, and the department has found it necessary to permit these natives to take the game birds found upon the reservation for food purposes, as they have always been obligd to rely upon them as one of the major elements in their food supply. For these reasons the Biological Survey recommended that the reservation as such be dropped and the area be restored to the public domain.

ONLY SIX PUPILS

From Hot Springs, Alaska, a little settelment on the Yukon River, there comes to the Division Director of Junior Red Cross a subscription to the Junior News enrolling the tiny school of six puils as a Junior auxiliary, and individual contributions to the National Children's Fund amounting to $2.50.

The teacher of this little school Miss Bessie Knauff, was a former Red Cross canteen worker in the Paris district. She writes that her six loyal Juniors are busily at work upon a scrapbook of interesting Alaska scenes which will soon be completed and given to some children's hospital.

EAGLE PICTURE
—at—
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March 20-21
Ingomar Theatre
March 22-23
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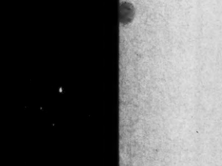
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A YARD OF PANS
MOVE OVER A LITTLE, CANTCHA? GIMME SOME ROOM! TAKE YOUR FEET OFFEN ME — GOSH SAKES-
THIS IS JUST LIKE A SURENUFF TENT, AINT IT?
HOW TO MAKE A WILD WOMAN
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Expedition Goes on Hunt for Pre-Historic Monster

For the first time in modern history an expedition has gone out in an effort to capture the live descendant of a plesiosaurus, recently reported to have been seen near the Andes Mountains, in the Territory of Chubut. The expedition, financed by wealthy scientists of Argentina, is headed by Jose Cinagi, Superintendent of the Buenos Aiers Zoological Gardens, and Emello Frey an Argantine engineer.

The animal, last reported to have been seen by an Englishman, is said to be a cross between a diplodocus and a plesiosauru pictures of which are here shown.

Prof. Clementi Onelli, Director of the Buenos Aires Zoological Gardens, does not believe that the strange animal reported to have been seen has lived continually since the Plesiosaurian era. He places credence, however, in the probability that a descendant of the prehistoric monster exists, retaining the fundamental characteristics of its predecessors.

Danish Heir Will Wed Greek Princess

Crown Prince Christian Frederick of Denmark soon will wed Princess Olga, eldest daughter of Prince Nicholas of Greece. The betrothal has been announced from Copenhagen by King Chirstian and Queen Alexandria of Denmark. The date of the wedding has not been announced. Prince Nicholas, father of the bride-to-be, is the second of five brothers of the present King of Greece, of whom Prince Christopher, husband of Mrs. W. B. Leeds, is the youngest.

Newest Pictures From The Russian Famine Front

The gaunt spectre of starvation stalks today over a vast Samara area in Russia, where refugees drift from pillar to post in a hopeless effort to ward off death from hunger. Groups of emaciated little children and scrawny old men and women are to be seen at every Russian railroad station waiting for trains to carry them anywhere. Desperation tempered with great resignation prevails throughout the famine-stricken country, where funerals afoot are about the chief activities of the day. American food has been rushed to the starving hordes in Russia and thousands of lives are being saved by its issuance, but thousands are beyond help. This layout of the newest pictures to be received from the "hunger front" gives an insight into Russia's condition.

Pretty Girl Would Annul Marriage to Husband She Still Loves

Despite the fact that she "still loves" her husband of three weeks, pretty Peggy Unertl is making an effort to have her marriage to Jack Montgomery annulled. "Do I look like a girl who would drag a man to the altar to get him to marry me?" she queries. Montgomery worked fast—he wooed and won her in three weeks and then left her after a three-weeks' honeymoon. She has returned to her parents, Dr. and Mrs. John T. Unertl, wealthy Milwaukeeans.

Slain Man's Letter Accuses Wife of Murdering Circus Man

John T. Brunen, wealthy circus owner, mysteriously slain in his Riverside, N. J., home, was in constant fear of his life nad believed that he was being "framed up" by his family, he declared in a letter written prior to his death to Mrs. Elizabeth Jaeshke, his sister, of Gary, Ind. The letter is in the hands of officers, who believe that an indictment will soon follow. Here are shown Mrs. Brunen and her daughter, Hazel Parkstrom.

Interest in Radio Prevails Throughout the Nation

Miss Bender has purse radio
General Pershing listens in
Broadcasting law by radio
Chicago school girls are being taught wireless

This is the age of the radio rage. The "wireless bug" has made its way throughout the nation. In every large city, in every small village, radio has become the thing of the day. Scientists, students, officials and public men are imbued with a desire to "listen in."

In this group of pictures you see a variety of students. General Pershing is shown taking a message from "the air." In the picture at the left you see Miss Mathilda Bender, of New York, demonstrating her pocket radiophone, which she carries in her purse.

The group of girls are students of a Chicago school learning wireless in the classroom. So popular has become the radio fad that many schools are following the lead taken by Chicago.

The small photo shows Rev. John W. Williamson, Chicago's law enforcer, broadcasting law lectures by radio.

Rockefeller Watches Harding Play Golf.

John D. Rockefeller, reputed to be the world's richest man, is shown here watching President Harding "coming in" on the sixteenth hole of the gold links at Ormond Beach, Fla., where Rockefeller lives in Winter and where the nation's chief executive is spending a brief vacation. The multi-millionaire was on the sixth hole, going out, when this photo was taken.

Devises Scheme to Beat Gambling Games

Adolph C. Bokou has arrrived in America from Paris to teach youths of this country that gambling doesn't pay. Bokou has devised a scheme, he says, whereby he could beat the bank of Monte Carlo, but officials of that institution have barred him. Those same officials, he says, have offered huge sums for the suppression of his talks against gambling. He will tour the principal cities of this country on a speaking campaign.

Woodrow Wilson Opposes Four-Power Treaty

Former President Woodrow Wilson has joined forces with Senator William E. Borah, Republican "Irreconcilable," to defeat ratification of the four-power Pacific treaty devised by the recent Washington arms conference. Wilson has written Senator Borah, outlining his reasons for believing the treaty to be "an iniquitous alliance of the wrong." This latest photo of the former President shows how he has aged from his illness.

Ferryboat Deckhand to Study Voice Culture

Richard T. Hunter, for years a deckhand on a San Francisco ferryboat, is going to Europe to study voice culture. His wonderful tenor voice attracted passengers on the ferryboat, as he entertained them on regular trips across the bay.

Bow-Wow! The Towser Family "Dolls Up" For Easter

The Towser family has settled the momentous question of what to wear for Easter. They're all "dolled up" in this group of pictures. Father and Mother Handsome Harry Towser are shown taking their baby for an airing at the beach. The baby incidentally doesn't mind "leading a dog's life" Speaking of hauteur, take a second peep at "Missus Towser," who, well up in Yelpville's "400," posed for the cameraman only after prolonged persuasion.